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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Peter Szor

Assignee: Symantec Corporation

Title: HOST-BASED DETECTION AND PREVENTION OF

MALICIOUS CODE PROPAGATION

Serial No.: 10/633,907 Filed: August 4, 2003

Examiner: Fritz Alphonse Group Art 2133

Unit:

Docket No.: SYMC1035

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the amendment and response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2005 in the above application:

- 1. Return Receipt Postcard;
- 2. Transmittal Letter (2 pages); and
- 3. Amendment and Response to Office Action (19 pages).

No additional claims fees are required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	20	- 20	= 0	x \$20.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	5	- 5	= 0	x \$200.00	\$ 0.00
First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$270)					0.00
Total of above Calculation					\$0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)					1.0
				Subtotal	\$ 0.00
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)					0.00
				TOTAL	\$ 0.00

☑ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on February 16,

2006.

Attorney for Applicant(s) Dat

February 16, 2006 Date of Signature Respectfully submitted,

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Reg. No. 44,976

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Reply to Office Action of November 17, 2005



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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- 1. Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper;
- 2. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper; and
 - 3. Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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